

NOTICE OF RECRUITMENT

The Department of Health (department) is accepting applications to fill a vacancy on the Sex Offender Treatment Provider Advisory Committee (committee). There is currently one vacancy for a licensed sexual offender treatment provider. The department is looking for individuals willing to study the issues and counsel in the best interest of the public.

The Governor's Office and department's policy encourages all boards/commissions/committees to reflect the diversity of Washington's population and provide geographic representation throughout the state.

The committee consists of nine members – one superior court judge, three sexual offender treatment providers, one mental health practitioner specializing in treating victims of sexual assault, one defense attorney with experience in representing persons charged with sexual offenses, one representative from the Washington Association of Prosecuting Attorneys, the Secretary of the Department of Social and Health Services or his/her designee, and the Secretary of the Department of Corrections or his/her designee. Members are appointed by the Secretary of the Department of Health to six year terms.

The committee meets approximately three times per year, usually at the DOH office in Tumwater or Kent. Members are reimbursed for travel expenses and meal per diem.

If you or someone you know is interested in applying for appointment, please return a completed secretary appointed committee application along with a current resume and three letters of reference to the address below. Applications can be found online at the committee's web-page accessed from the DOH home page, www.doh.wa.gov or by going to: https://fortress.wa.gov/doh/hpqa1/hps7/Sex_Offender_Treatment_Provider/boardinfo.htm .

If you would like to read more detailed information about the committee's expectations and duties, please visit their web-page.

If you have any questions about serving on the SOTP committee, please contact Leann Yount, program manager at (360) 236-4856, email leann.yount@doh.wa.gov, or write:

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